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LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Janshalas (a Community Schools Programm

(e) was started in 1998 in collaboration with five agencies of United Nations;

(b) if so, the details of the States covered under this programme;

(c) the number of schools opened in each State thereunder, State- wise; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government to include remaining States under this programme?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

a) Yes, Sir.

b) The programme covers nine states - Andhra Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh.

c) Janshala has opened 3387 alternative schools − 312 in Andhra Pradesh; 15 in Chhattisgarh; 247 in Jharkhand; 543 in Madhya Pradesh; 1965 in Maharashtra; 206 in Rajasthan; and 99 in Orissa.

d) There is no proposal to include remaining states under the programme.